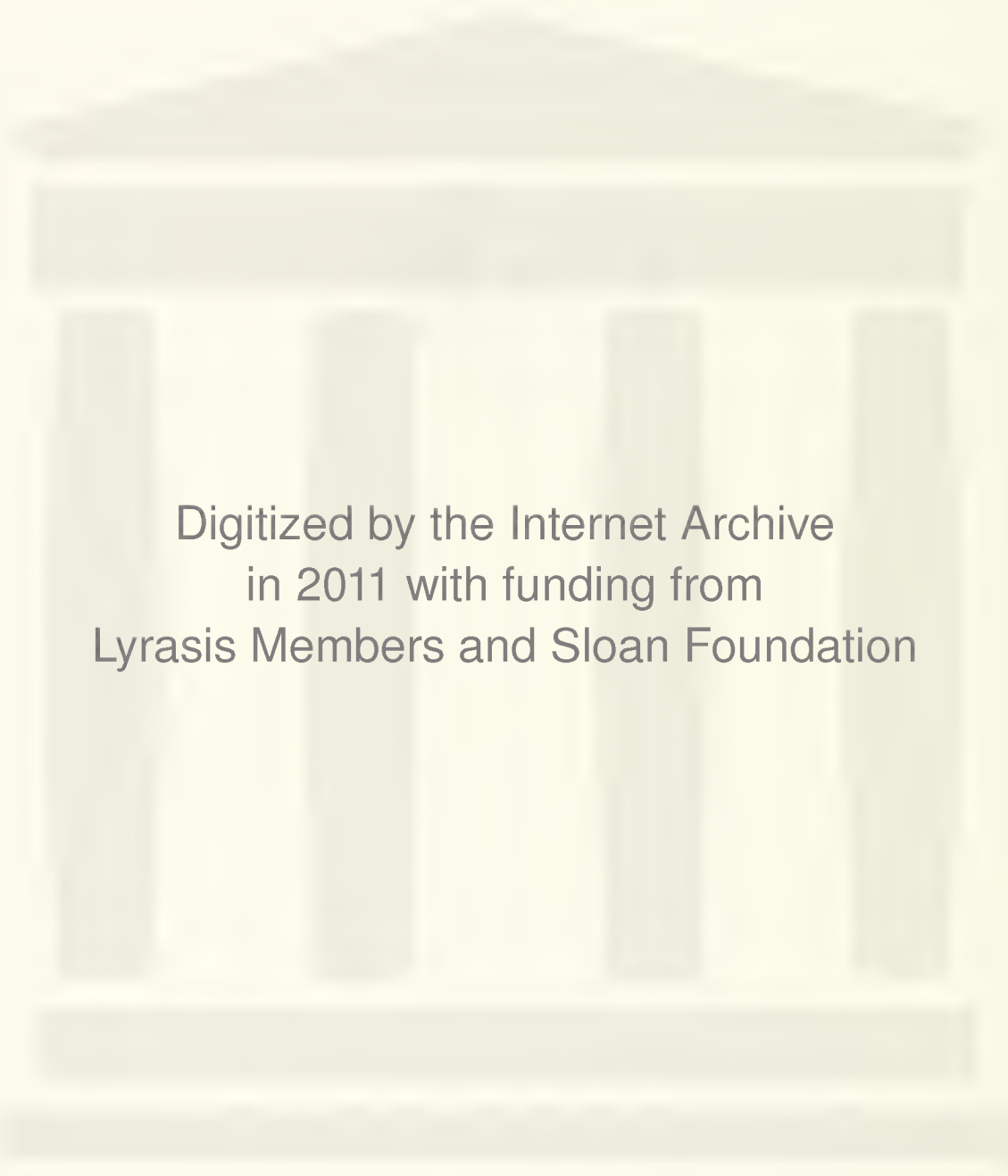




# STETSON UNIVERSITY COMMENCEMENT

SATURDAY, MAY 5, 2007  
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STETSON UNIVERSITY  
COMMENCEMENT

School of Business  
Administration

School of Music

9:00 a.m.



# SPRING 2007 COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

## SCHOOL OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

## SCHOOL OF MUSIC

President H. Douglas Lee, Presiding  
Senior Professor Gary Maris, University Mace Bearer  
Professor Betty Thorne, Associate Dean Jean West, and  
Senior Vice President James R. Beasley, University Marshals  
Johnathan Pierce Timko, B.B.A., and Josiah Paul Armes, B.M., Gonfaloniers

### PROCESSIONAL

*Trumpet Tune and Air*  
Stetson University Brass Ensemble  
David Schmidt, Director

Henry Purcell

### INVOCATION

Michael R. Fronk '74  
University Chaplain

### WELCOME

H. Douglas Lee  
President

### LITANY FOR THE STETSON UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY

Leonard L. Nance  
Dean of First Year Studies

**Leader:** Stetson University students, faculty, staff, families, and friends,

We come together to celebrate and reaffirm our commitment to each other and to Stetson University, and to proclaim ourselves as active members of a loving and inclusive community.

**Together:** We strive to transform life for the welfare of all.

**Leader:** We celebrate and reaffirm our commitment to excellence in education as learners and teachers, and to our religious heritage, which inspires us to center our lives on the quest for meaning and truth.

**Together:** We strive to transform life for the welfare of all.

**Leader:** We celebrate and reaffirm our commitment to integrate education and action, scholarship and social responsibility, for the purpose of promoting justice on our campus, in our nation, and throughout the world.

**Together:** We affirm our quest for knowledge and our commitment to transform life for the welfare of all.

### SENIOR ADDRESSES

Rey F. Rodriguez '07  
Andrew W. Moedinger '07

### AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

James E. Woodward  
Chair, Council of Deans

CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREE

H. Douglas Lee

CHARGE TO THE GRADUATING CLASS

Cynthia R. Brown  
University Trustee

CONFERRING OF GRADUATE DEGREES

H. Douglas Lee

Degree candidates presented by:

James H. Scheiner, Dean, School of Business Administration

Assisted by:

William G. Jens, Jr., Professor of Accounting and C.R. Lindback Chair

CONFERRING OF BACCALAUREATE DEGREES

H. Douglas Lee

Degree candidates presented by:

James H. Scheiner, Dean, School of Business Administration

James E. Woodward, Dean, School of Music

INSTALLATION OF NEW ALUMNI

Susan P. Anderson  
Associate Vice President for University Relations

ALMA MATER

Gary A. Meadows '59, '65

Dear Alma Mater, smile upon thy children,  
Gladly we greet thee, altogether lovely!  
Peace be within thy classic halls and temples.  
Hail, Alma Mater dear!

Dear Alma Mater, tenderly thy children  
Gather and bring to thee gracious salutations.  
Comrades, your voices lift once again in chorus;  
Hail, Alma Mater dear!

BENEDICTION

Michael R. Fronk

RECESSIONAL

Canzon No. 29

Girolamo Frescobaldi

*The audience is asked to stand during the Processional and the Recessional.  
During the Recessional, please remain at your seat until all graduates have reached the exit.*

*A quiet room is available for families with small children.*

*Please turn off the sound for pagers and cell phones and refrain from using them during the ceremony.*

*Performing in the Brass Ensemble, under Director David Schmidt,  
are Brandon Barrios, Rachel DeValle, Tim Eggen, Michael Genslinger, Eric Gilfus, Matthew Nixon,  
Joseph Powell, Ryan Sorenson, Alex Vagelakos, and Matthew Villa.*

STETSON  
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**Cynthia R. Brown**

## **DOCTOR OF HUMANE LETTERS**

Active in civic and charitable organizations in the Volusia County area, Cynthia R. "Cici" Brown has worked with the Museum of Arts and Sciences in Daytona Beach since 1971 and served for three years as president of its Board of Directors. She is a founding member of the Cultural Arts Council of Volusia County and was a member of its board for 12 years.

Vitally interested in the arts, she served on the State Board of the Florida Humanities Council for many years. She is a member of the Alexis de Tocqueville Society of the United Way and The Garden Club of the Halifax Country, where she takes a special interest in the Scholarship Committee and the Conservation Committee.

She has been a member of the Stetson University Board of Trustees since 1999, and currently chairs the board's Facilities Management Committee. She has also served the university as a member of the College of Arts and Sciences Board of Advisors, including a term as chair.

Married to J. Hyatt Brown, she lives in Ormond Beach.



MAY 5, 2007

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

MASTERS  
OF  
BUSINESS  
ADMINISTRATION  
&  
ACCOUNTANCY

Emilie Yolande Arends Oranjestad, Aruba	Eric John King Lake Mary, Florida	Steven Kenneth Schmidt Davenport, Florida
Sean Brown Orlando, Florida	Jeffrey William Margheim DeBary, Florida	Jason Hamilton Scoon Trinidad, Florida
Carrie Ann Cadwell Celebration, Florida	Claudia Vanessa Márquez Sanford, Florida	Christopher Robert Smith Fort Myers, Florida
Ledian Cama Port St. Lucie, Florida	Shannon Webster McGlothin DeLand, Florida	Timothy Conrad Smith Celebration, Florida
Stephen Charles DeVore Davenport, Florida	Kristi Lee Millard Kissimmee, Florida	Raymond John Sochacki Orlando, Florida
Kevin Maxwell Diamond Ocala, Florida	Gregory James Neforos Ocoee, Florida	Jason René Sunshine Orlando, Florida
Ibrahim Diken Orlando, Florida	Erin Catherine Pagliuca Winter Garden, Florida	Nathan Thomas Wagner DeLand, Florida
Karen Marie DiTommaso Celebration, Florida	Gregg Stephen Pasternak Longwood, Florida	William Lindon Warren Orlando, Florida
Stephanie Case Fischer Clermont, Florida	Mark Steven Phillips Ormond Beach, Florida	Douglas August Westfall Orlando, Florida
Peter John Frey Clermont, Florida	Chassidy Ann Puskaric Winter Springs, Florida	Jennifer Ann Wing Celebration, Florida
Robert Stanley Garman Winter Garden, Florida	Ellisa Randi Sanes Orlando, Florida	

MASTER OF ACCOUNTANCY

Marianne LeFils Blair Deltona, Florida	Kellen Ryan Fischer Orange City, Florida	Ryan Michael Koski Tarpon Springs, Florida
Michael Lee Davis Fort Pierce, Florida	Brittany Nichole Hardin Orange City, Florida	

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION -  
JURIS DOCTORATE  
(IN ABSENTIA)

Alicia Maria Alers  
Palm City, Florida

Zachary Jacob Glaser  
Niskayuna, New York

Luisa Beatriz Teresa Bazó Muller  
Tierra Verde, Florida

Alyssa Nicole Benitez  
Orlando, Florida

Brandon Johnathon Held  
DeLand, Florida

David Justin Pardo  
Spring Hill, Florida

Joanna Justine Bilgutay  
St. Petersburg, Florida

Matthew Thomas Huet  
Natrona Heights, Pennsylvania

Andrea Lynn Rigali  
Gulfport, Florida

Kevin Douglas Brennan  
Sebastian, Florida

Robert James Hynds  
Gulfport, Florida

Nicole Elka Shacker  
Coral Springs, Florida

Gregory Quentin Clark  
Valdosta, Georgia

Melody Benbow James  
St. Petersburg, Florida

Robert Lawrence Todd  
Gulfport, Florida

Alexandra Joyce de Alejo  
Odessa, Florida

Ryan L. Johns  
Clearwater, Florida

Brandon Alexander Edison White  
Miami, Florida

Kimberley McEwan Ferris  
Columbia, Maryland

Valerie Kay Jones  
Buffalo, New York

Mary Leigh White  
Gulfport, Florida

Kristen Ann Floyd  
Seminole, Florida

Stanley Michael Kurek  
South Pasadena, Florida

Alla Zagrebelsky  
Gulfport, Florida

Carlos Luis Gazitua  
Miami, Florida

Sophia Lynn  
St. Petersburg, Florida



# BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

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BUSINESS  
ADMINISTRATION

Adrian Nelson Alquinta Revere, Massachusetts Finance	Tobin Matthew Birney Lake Placid, New York Marketing	* Justin Tod Dannecker Westchester, Pennsylvania Finance
Carolina Creagh Andrews DeLand, Florida General Business Administration	Dawn Marie Brown Jacksonville, Florida Management	Charles Nathan Davis, Jr. Largo, Florida Management
Amber Lee Atkins Bartow, Florida Management	Jamie Bryan Calkins Edgewater, Florida Finance	Justin Joseph Dennis Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida General Business Administration
Savannah-Jane Atkins Miami, Florida Management	Donald Jorgo Cama Port St. Lucie, Florida Accounting Information Systems	Natalie Marie DeVries Grand Rapids, Michigan Marketing
* Frederic Murray Ayres Jensen Beach, Florida Finance Management	Myron David Carlton Arcadia, Florida General Business Administration	* Benjamin Thomas Dyon Barrington, Illinois General Business Administration
John Preston Baker Boca Raton, Florida Accounting Information Systems	Croner Gray Caudell III DeBary, Florida Management	Natalia Anatolievna Eckroth DeLand, Florida Accounting Information Systems
* Alaythea Grace Ballantyne Tampa, Florida General Business Administration	Melissa Ann Ceran Palm Bay, Florida International Business	* Colleen Jayna Fasold Yarmouth, Maine General Business Administration
Sabrina Danielle Beaudin DeLand, Florida Marketing	Rachel Elizabeth Chiles Oakland, Florida International Business	Roger Joseph Foley Bow, New Hampshire Finance
Jennifer Noel Beebe Port Richey, Florida Accounting Information Systems Finance	Casey Leigh Cole North Eastham, Massachusetts General Business Administration	Sherrel Alicia Fountain Nassau, Bahamas Marketing
Jennifer Marie Beecher Deltona, Florida Marketing	* Kelli Lynn Colley Edgewater, Florida General Business Administration	Kevin Douglas Gallagher Daytona Beach, Florida Finance
* Andrew Michael Belisle Fort Myers, Florida General Business Administration	Heather Nicole Collins DeLand, Florida Accounting Information Systems	Allison Theresa Gilbert Miami, Florida Marketing
Ingrid Agnes Berkley Orlando, Florida General Business Administration	* Patrick William Cruz Cincinnati, Ohio General Business Administration	Anthony Aires Gomes Orlando, Florida Finance

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Lindsay Taft Griffith  
Sarasota, Florida  
Accounting Information  
Systems

Daniel Joseph Grill  
New York, New York  
General Business  
Administration

Matthew Oldham Guy  
Lake Mary, Florida  
Management

Kristina Marie Hammock  
Heathrow, Florida  
General Business  
Administration

Meredith Elaine Hammond  
Longwood, Florida  
General Business  
Administration

Mathias Haugner  
DeLand, Florida  
General Business  
Administration

Kristiana Eileen Henkel  
Indialantic, Florida  
Marketing

Megan Claire Hicks  
Leesburg, Florida  
Accounting Information  
Systems

\* Amanda Lorraine Hill  
Winchester, Massachusetts  
General Business  
Administration

Stephanie Michelle Hudson  
Ocala, Florida  
Marketing

Andrea Elizabeth Hummel  
Indialantic, Florida  
Management

Michael Garrett Hyer  
Jacksonville, Florida  
Marketing

Christopher Vincent Ingoglia  
Boynton Beach, Florida  
Marketing

\* Woodrow Tory Ivandick  
Satellite Beach, Florida  
General Business  
Administration

Nicholas Martin Jamros  
Corvallis, Oregon  
Management

Nathan Taylor Jass  
DeLand, Florida  
General Business  
Administration

Collin Robert Jewell  
Murrells Inlet, South Carolina  
General Business  
Administration

Jaquie Chardai Johnson  
Lake Mary, Florida  
General Business  
Administration

Lauren Ashley Jones  
Venice, Florida  
International Business

Shane Cameron Jordan  
Sarasota, Florida  
Management

Thomas Wesley Keller  
Palm Beach, Florida  
Finance

Benjamin Aaron Kline  
Boca Raton, Florida  
Finance

Catherine Copeland Kuchar  
Asheville, North Carolina  
Management

Kyle Edward Luikart  
Deltona, Florida  
Management

Deena Joan Lyman  
Fort Pierce, Florida  
General Business  
Administration

Janene Alese Maclin  
Chicago, Illinois  
Management

Sean Edward Marshall  
Lake Forest, Illinois  
Finance

Carlos Manuel Martinez  
Key Biscayne, Florida  
Marketing

\* Thomas William Mayhew  
Clearwater, Florida  
Management

John Michael McLean  
Kennesaw, Georgia  
Management

Gabriel Chriss McMillen  
Largo, Florida  
General Business  
Administration

Darius Tyrell McPhall  
Fort Pierce, Florida  
General Business  
Administration

\* Stacey Alisha McPherson  
Orlando, Florida  
General Business  
Administration

John Thomas McSpadden  
Orlando, Florida  
Marketing

Rodolfo Mehrens  
Weston, Florida  
General Business  
Administration

Michael Roberto Mei  
Sarasota, Florida  
Management

Andrew Scott Meyer  
Middletown, New Jersey  
Finance

Robert Reino Miller, Jr.  
DeLand, Florida  
General Business  
Administration

\* July Candidate

# BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION...continued

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BUSINESS  
ADMINISTRATION

Colin Edward Moffatt Oakville, Ontario Finance	Shannon Marie Randlett Poultney, Vermont Marketing	Jeffrey Joel Smeraglinolo Rockledge, Florida Accounting Information Systems
Kamia-Alma Emmanuel Mwango DeLand, Florida General Business Administration	Aleksey Ravitskiy Palm Coast, Florida Accounting Information Systems	Amy Elizabeth Smith Missouri City, Texas Accounting Information Systems
* Matthew Edward Myers Rockledge, Florida General Business Administration	* Catherine Ann Reilly Edgewater, Florida Finance	Anna La'Dandra Smith DeLand, Florida Marketing
Christina Sophia Esper Naime Westmoorings, Trinidad Finance	Rey Francisco Rodriguez-Gautier San Juan, Puerto Rico Accounting Information Systems	* Brandon Thomas Smith Tortola, British Virgin islands General Business Administration
Chad Ryan Nikola Brewster, New York Management	Ryan Michael Rudnik Bradenton, Florida Marketing	William Grant Smith West Palm Beach, Florida General Business Administration
* Shardanee Zinzi Nobles Los Angeles, California Electronic Business Technology	Patrick Michael Rusbridge Wellington, Florida Family Business	Eric Tyson Snyder Apopka, Florida General Business Administration
Laura Ashley Panaggio Odessa, Florida Marketing	Cezary A. Sadlinski Palm Coast, Florida Finance	* Brijit Nicole Solomon Coral Springs, Florida General Business Administration
Natalie Kay Parker Palatka, Florida Finance	Ralph John Santore III Palm Coast, Florida Management	Natasha C. Sosa Tampa, Florida International Business
Jay Rajendra Patel Lakeland, Florida Finance Marketing	Elizabeth Ruth Schaefer Mattoon, Illinois International Business	Frances Veronica Speidel Ormond Beach, Florida General Business Administration
Joseph Cory Peterson Sorrento, Florida Accounting Information Systems	Christina Marie Scherer Bradenton, Florida General Business Administration	Andrew Charles Strickland DeLand, Florida General Business Administration
* Michelle Jeanette Protko Port Orange, Florida Marketing	James Turner Schroeder Roswell, Georgia General Business Administration	Audra Lauren Thomas Colorado Springs, Colorado Marketing
Matthew Ward Ralys DeLand, Florida International Business	* Roberto Carlos Sierra Oviedo, Florida Finance	

## BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION...continued

Johnathan Pierce Timko DeLand, Florida Finance	Stuart Randall Vinson South Pittsburg, Tennessee International Business	* Allison Lynne West Orlando, Florida General Business Administration
Adam Tyler Tindle Orlando, Florida Finance	Alexandria Terese Vita Melbourne, Florida Finance Marketing	William John Wieland II Orlando, Florida General Business Administration
* Bhakti Vallabhdas Vachhani DeLand, Florida Accounting Information Systems	Kevin Brian Vitale Longwood, Florida Marketing	Ashley Elizabeth Wright Deltona, Florida Management
Patrick Michael Van Houten Ormond Beach, Florida Marketing	Ainsley Catherine Wellinghoff Champaign, Illinois Accounting Information Systems	Andrew David Zaleski Westhampton Beach, New York Finance
Alex Dunstane Vandermark Portsmouth, New Hampshire Marketing		

## BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Josiah Paul Armes Lakeland, Florida Piano/Organ	Desiree Brooke Maira Wellington, Florida Voice	Barron Bridges Rice III Jacksonville, Florida Voice
Jason Lee Blanton New Smyrna Beach, Florida Voice	Andrew Ward Moedinger Longwood, Florida Piano/Organ	Russell Frank Roma Palm Bay, Florida Outside Field-German
* Jason Alexander Cash Melbourne, Florida Instrumental	Geraldine Morillo Orlando, Florida Orchestral Instrument	Christopher Michael Schroeder Winter Springs, Florida Orchestral Instrument
Arthur Brandon Diaz Orlando, Florida Orchestral Instrument	James Alan Morris Jensen Beach, Florida Outside Field-Education	Elizabeth Anne Stringer Naples, Florida Outside Field-Business
Stephanie Lynn DiMauro Palm Bay, Florida Orchestral Instrument	Ryan David Pagels Ocklawaha, Florida Piano/Organ	Kristen Teresa Vanderoef Palm Coast, Florida Outside Field- Religious Studies
Christina Maria Heizmann Whippany, New Jersey Orchestral Instrument Theory & Composition: Theory Emphasis	Jhaysonn Vinodchandra Pathak Jacksonville, Florida Guitar	Jamison Lee Walker Palm Coast, Florida Voice
Erin Christine Helgeson Lutz, Florida Orchestral Instrument	Christine Marie Purdue Lafayette, Indiana Orchestral Instrument	

\* July Candidate

# BACHELOR OF MUSIC EDUCATION

BACHELOR  
OF  
MUSIC  
EDUCATION

Amber-Blake Berlin  
Valrico, Florida  
Vocal/General

Yannick Scott Innis  
Ocala, Florida  
Instrumental/General

Tai Omega Oney  
Lynn Haven, Florida  
Vocal/General

Vicki Denise Berney  
Cocoa, Florida  
Instrumental/General

Kirsten Taylor Kenny  
Lakeland, Florida  
Instrumental/General

Timothy David Ostrow  
Palm Bay, Florida  
Instrumental/General

Amy Lee Coonce  
Merritt Island, Florida  
Instrumental/General

Ashley Leslee Leighton  
Vero Beach, Florida  
Instrumental/General

Trista LeaAnn Phillips  
DeBary, Florida  
Instrumental/General

Stephanie Ann Everson  
Leesburg, Florida  
Vocal/General

Christopher Michael Maddy  
Rockledge, Florida  
Instrumental/General

Rebekah Julie Rankin  
Orange Park, Florida  
Vocal/General

Kyle David Ferland  
DeLand, Florida  
Instrumental/General

David Richard Morden  
Longwood, Florida  
Instrumental/General

John-Michael Simpson  
Titusville, Florida  
Instrumental/General

Angela Leigh Gause  
Leesburg, Florida  
Vocal/General

Brent Alan Mounger  
Titusville, Florida  
Instrumental/General

Paul Robert Yanochko  
Port Orange, Florida  
Instrumental/General

Joshua Ervin Grossnicklaus  
Stuart, Florida  
Instrumental/General

Matthew James Newell  
Crestview, Florida  
Vocal/General

Susan Marie Hendon  
Silver Springs, Florida  
Instrumental/General

Andrea Beth Newhouse  
Sarasota, Florida  
Instrumental/General





## THE CLASS OF 2007

The Class of 2007 includes undergraduate students from Jamaica, the United Kingdom, Africa, the Bahamas, Canada, and Trinidad, and graduate students from Trinidad and Aruba. Twenty-seven states are represented, as are Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands, but Floridians comprise the vast majority.

The College of Arts & Sciences is awarding 212 Bachelor degrees and 19 Master degrees. Most popular undergraduate majors are Psychology, Political Science, English, Communication Studies, and Biology.

The School of Business Administration is awarding 124 Bachelor degrees, with General Business, Finance, Marketing, and Management having the most majors. The School is awarding 63 graduate degrees.

The School of Music is graduating 44 students, evenly matched between Bachelor of Music and Bachelor of Music Education.

Approximately one-half of the graduates will be going to work after graduation, another third are headed to graduate or professional schools, and the rest pursuing other activities. Of those continuing their education, 72 have reported they will seek their Master's degree, 14 are headed to law school, and 9 are going to medical school.

Students have been admitted by highly selective graduate schools nationally, including Yale University, Boston University, Emory School of Law, The Julliard School, Vanderbilt University School of Medicine and Vanderbilt Divinity School, Texas Tech University, Western Carolina University, Wake Forest University, Bowling Green, University of Texas at Austin, George Washington University, Emerson College, Goethe Institute, University of Minnesota, and the University of Alabama, as well as by strong programs in Florida, including those at University of Florida, Florida State University, University of Central Florida, University of South Florida, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, Florida International University, and Stetson.

Students entering the work force have found positions both near and far away. They will be teaching in Japan, Thailand and Korea, as well as within the United States; they will be creating software with Google in Washington State; working toward social justice with nonprofits in Washington, D.C.; playing semi-pro soccer; and starting their own businesses. Members of the Class of 2007 have been hired by organizations such as USTA Florida, Teach for America, Siemens, Target, Big Brother/Big Sisters, New Orleans Recovery School District, Adventist Health Systems Information Services, GM Capital Partners, Calloway Golf, Charles Schwab, James Moore, Deloitte, Ernst and Young, KPMG, and their alma mater, Stetson University.

## MEDALLION

The President's Medallion, worn at all official academic occasions, was cast for the inauguration of former Stetson president John E. Johns in 1969. The medallion, cast in silver, is the university seal embraced by a wreath of laurel.

## THE STETSON COLORS

The Stetson colors, Green and White, were adopted about the time as the Seal. At the first commencement the stage was decorated in Green and White. It is believed that the colors were chosen from the rich green of the orange trees and the pure white of the orange blossoms, a magnificent sight in the spring throughout Florida's great citrus belt. The color white represents purity and green signifies growth.

## ACADEMIC ATTIRE

The traditional pageantry of an academic procession, such as the one which opens today's Commencement exercises, is one of the most impressive spectacles of our time. Its significance is attested by the array of handsome gowns and vividly colored hoods worn by members of the Board of Trustees, the Faculty, and other officers of the University. These display the symbols of scholarly attainment.

The earliest illustrations of gowns worn at Oxford University in England somewhat resemble cassocks worn by English teachers who found good use for the hood, or cowl, as protection against weather. The American system of academic heraldry indicates the level of a degree, the field of study in which it was earned, and the institution by which it was granted.

The American mortarboard, derived from the soft Oxford cap, is black. Its tassel, for holders of the bachelor's and master's degrees, is usually black, although gold tassels may be worn by holders of doctoral degrees and heads of institutions. The tassel is worn on the right side of the cap by undergraduates, on the left by holders of bachelor's and higher degrees.

It is the hood which provides academic regalia its color and offers the most information about its wearer. The silk lining of the hood bears the color, or colors, of the degree-granting college or university; its velvet facing reveals the color assigned to each area of study. The doctor's gown may bear velvet trimming on the front and sleeves-such as dark blue for Doctors of Philosophy (Ph.D.). A few institutions, mostly overseas but some in this country, authorize the wearing of colored robes, departing from the traditional black and brightly displaying the official colors of the university.

## FACULTY COLORS

Arts, Letters, Humanities .....	White
Business, Accountancy.....	Drab
Economics.....	Copper
Education.....	Light Blue
Fine Arts.....	Brown
Journalism.....	Crimson
Law.....	Purple
Library Science .....	Lemon
Music.....	Pink
Oratory (Speech).....	Silver Gray
Philosophy.....	Dark Blue
Physical Education .....	Sage Green
Public Administration.....	Peacock Blue
Science .....	Golden Yellow
Social Science .....	Cream
Social Work.....	Citron
Theology .....	Scarlet



## GONFALONS

Gonfalons are thought to have originated in Western Europe during the middle ages, when such banners displayed the personal coat of arms or ensign of a nobleman and were used as war flags hung from a horizontal bar and carried on a staff or suspended from a knight's lance. As early as the twelfth century, they were commonly used at state and religious ceremonies, and such pageantry finds a place today in the academic ceremonies of many colleges and universities.

Stetson University proudly introduced gonfalons at the commencement ceremony on May 6, 2006. Prominently featuring the University Seal and the name of the respective college and school offering undergraduate programs of study, Stetson's gonfalons are richly hued in Stetson's colors of green and white, and accented by a luminous gold. The stately Elizabeth Hall cupola graces each gonfalon as a symbol of our heritage. The student bearers (gonfaloniers) are outstanding members of the graduating class, who have been selected by their Deans for this honor.

## THE UNIVERSITY SEAL

The circular seal of Stetson University was first adopted between 1889 and 1891, about the time the name of the institution was changed from DeLand College to John B. Stetson University. It first appeared on a university catalog in 1891. The drawing was by an artist-in-residence and approved by President Forbes, Henry DeLand and John B. Stetson, as well as by the Board of Trustees. The Latin Motto, "Pro Deo et Veritate," is translated "For God and Truth." The Lamp, signifying the Light of Truth, rests on the Book of Wisdom.

## MACE

Maces were originally war instruments used for organizing mayhem but from the 13th century, have been carried by the sergeant-at-arms of educational and corporate entities. In the European and in the older American universities, the mace symbolizes the dignity and authority of the president and the Board of Trustees.

Stetson's mace, designed by Episcopalian Canon Edward Nason West of the Cathedral Church of St. John the Divine, New York, was presented to President J. Ollie Edmunds in 1956.

The mace is described here by the artist, Daniel Spencer, master gold and silversmith of William Comyns & Sons of London.

"Stetson's mace is designed so that anyone could easily place the university's geographic location and chartering power. The palm buds from Florida's state seal form a base for the head of the mace. The legend around the bowl makes the particular institution's motive clear. The crenulations constitute what is known as a "canting device" since they are a play on the Latin word "stet" meaning "may it stand." The anchor, heart and cross - repeated twice in ornamenting them - are taken from the seal of the City of DeLand. From the top of the mace rises the shield of the university. The mace takes its basic shape from the mace of the Baptist Long Parliament, thus signifying the Baptist roots of the university."

William Comyns & Sons was established in 1645 and examples of its craftwork can be found in St. Paul's Cathedral and Westminster Abbey.

## HERITAGE

Stetson University, Florida's first private university, was founded in 1883 by Henry A. DeLand, a New York philanthropist, as DeLand Academy. In 1887, the Legislature of the State of Florida enacted the Charter of DeLand University as an independent and autonomous institution of higher learning. The university name was changed in 1889 to honor John B. Stetson, the nationally known hat manufacturer who gave generously of his time and means to advance the quality and reputation of the institution, and who served, with Mr. DeLand and others, as a founding trustee of the university.

The first charter stated the object of the university should be "to promote the general interests of education, and to qualify its students to engage in the learned professions or other employments of society, and to discharge honorably and usefully the various duties of life."

Stetson's first president, Dr. John F. Forbes, clearly described the commitment to teaching which has been a hallmark of the university throughout its history:

"Buildings, libraries and apparatus are good and give added power, but the vital contact of students with a vigorous and stimulating mind and heart - this is the *sine qua non* of a successful education... The most important thing is to find men and women of large heart and mind, apt to teach and full of enthusiasm and stimulating power... to develop in the student the habit of independent judgment - of investigating statements and principles for oneself, and thus for oneself discover their truth or falsity."

## MISSION

Our mission at Stetson University is to provide an excellent education in a creative community where learning and values meet, and to foster in students the qualities of mind and heart that will prepare them to reach their full potential as informed citizens of local communities and the world.

At Stetson, the art of teaching is practiced through programs solidly grounded in a tradition of liberal learning that stimulates critical thinking, imaginative inquiry, creative expression, and lively intellectual debate. The art of learning is enhanced through small interactive classes, close student-faculty alliances, and collaborative approaches that provide the foundation for rewarding careers and advanced study in selective graduate and professional programs. We embrace diverse methodologies to foster effective communication, information and technological literacy, and aesthetic appreciation. We encourage the development of informed convictions, independent judgment, and lifelong commitments to learning that are characteristic features of the enlightened citizen. In bringing together learning and values, the University encourages all of its members to demonstrate personal integrity; to develop an appreciation for the spiritual dimension of life; to embrace leadership in an increasingly complex, interdependent, and technological world; and to commit to active forms of social responsibility.





# CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES FROM THE STETSON UNIVERSITY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

The Stetson University Alumni Association salutes the Class of 2007 and welcomes you to the group of more than 25,000 men and women who are valued as honored graduates. As a new Stetson alumnus/a, you are invited to work with the Alumni Association to ease your transition from Stetson student to Stetson graduate. You represent the most important asset of Stetson University, and the University is eager to stay connected with you and to strengthen the relationship between you and your alma mater.

Stetson University's young alumni programs provide social and networking events for alumni who have graduated in the last 15 years. The Alumni Association also offers a variety of annual events, including regional receptions and networking opportunities across the country, homecoming weekend each spring in DeLand, and alumni travel programs to exotic locations.

Additional alumni benefits also include the following: an on-line e-mail directory; access to a Stetson MasterCard; an opportunity to purchase an official Alumni Association class ring; a travel discount card; email for life; library database access; an array of University publications; a searchable career network; and the opportunity to purchase an alumni I.D. card which allows for use of the Hollis Center and the duPont-Ball Library. You may also actively participate in the Alumni Association by getting involved as an alumni volunteer—assisting with alumni events, student recruitment, and career networking—and supporting the University with an annual gift.

The most efficient way to get the latest news about Stetson University alumni events, services, and programs is to visit the Alumni Association's Web site often at [www.stetson.edu/alumni](http://www.stetson.edu/alumni). To update your contact information, use the Alumni Update Form located on the Stay Connected page. By keeping your e-mail address current, you will receive the latest news from the Alumni Association through our electronic alumni newsletter, H@tmail.

Today, we celebrate with you as graduates of Stetson University. You venture forth from a familiar place into a larger world that you will succeed in. As you take your place in a global society as an engaged citizen, the extended Stetson family welcomes you into their world. But remember that the Stetson family in DeLand always will welcome you back home. You can stay in touch by visiting our website at [www.stetson.edu/alumni](http://www.stetson.edu/alumni), e-mailing us at [alumni@stetson.edu](mailto:alumni@stetson.edu), or calling (386) 822-7480 or toll free at (800) 688-4287. Again, congratulations on your achievements, and best wishes for great success in all your future endeavors.

STETSON UNIVERSITY  
COMMENCEMENT

College of Arts &  
Sciences

2:00 p.m.





# SPRING 2007 COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

## COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES

President H. Douglas Lee, Presiding  
Senior Professor Gary Maris, University Mace Bearer  
Associate Deans Toni Blum and Jean West, and  
Senior Vice President James R. Beasley, University Marshals  
Patryja Stys, B.A., Gonfalonier

### PROCESSIONAL

*Trumpet Tune and Air*  
Stetson University Brass Ensemble  
David Schmidt, Director

Henry Purcell

### INVOCATION

Michael R. Fronk '74  
University Chaplain

### WELCOME

H. Douglas Lee  
President

### LITANY FOR THE STETSON UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY

Leonard L. Nance  
Dean of First Year Studies

**Leader:** Stetson University students, faculty, staff, families, and friends,

We come together to celebrate and reaffirm our commitment to each other and to Stetson University, and to proclaim ourselves as active members of a loving and inclusive community.

**Together:** We strive to transform life for the welfare of all.

**Leader:** We celebrate and reaffirm our commitment to excellence in education as learners and teachers, and to our religious heritage, which inspires us to center our lives on the quest for meaning and truth.

**Together:** We strive to transform life for the welfare of all.

**Leader:** We celebrate and reaffirm our commitment to integrate education and action, scholarship and social responsibility, for the purpose of promoting justice on our campus, in our nation, and throughout the world.

**Together:** We affirm our quest for knowledge and our commitment to transform life for the welfare of all.

### SENIOR ADDRESSES

Sonal S. Patel '07  
Gregory T. Nolan '07

### AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

Grady W. Ballenger  
Dean, College of Arts & Sciences

### CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREE

H. Douglas Lee

## CHARGE TO THE GRADUATING CLASS

David B. Rinker '62

## CONFERRING OF GRADUATE DEGREES

H. Douglas Lee

Degree candidates presented by:

Grady W. Ballenger, Dean, College of Arts & Sciences

Assisted by:

Adrienne M. Perry, Associate Professor and Chair of Teacher Education

Deborah Touchton, Associate Professor

Brigid Noonan-Klima, Associate Professor of Counselor Education

Rusty Witek, Professor of English

## CONFERRING OF BACCALAUREATE DEGREES

H. Douglas Lee

Degree candidates presented by:

Grady W. Ballenger, Dean, College of Arts & Sciences

## INSTALLATION OF NEW ALUMNI

Susan P. Anderson

Associate Vice President for University Relations

## ALMA MATER

Gary A. Meadows '59, '65

Dear Alma Mater, smile upon thy children,  
Gladly we greet thee, altogether lovely!  
Peace be within thy classic halls and temples.  
Hail, Alma Mater dear!

Dear Alma Mater, tenderly thy children  
Gather and bring to thee gracious salutations.  
Comrades, your voices lift once again in chorus;  
Hail, Alma Mater dear!

## BENEDICTION

Michael R. Fronk

## RECESSIONAL

Canzon No. 29

Girolamo Frescobaldi

*The audience is asked to stand during the Processional and the Recessional.  
During the Recessional, please remain at your seat until all graduates have reached the exit.*

*A quiet room is available for families with small children.*

*Please turn off the sound for pagers and cell phones and refrain from using them during the ceremony.*

*Performing in the Brass Ensemble, under Director David Schmidt,  
are Brandon Barrios, Rachel DelValle, Tim Eggen, Michael Genslinger, Eric Gilfus, Matthew Nixon,  
Joseph Powell, Ryan Sorenson, Alex Vagelakos, and Matthew Villa.*

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**David B. Rinker**

## **DOCTOR OF LAWS**

A leader in both business and education, Dr. David B. Rinker of Atlantis is the founder and owner, with his wife Leighan, of Paradox Properties, Inc. a Palm Beach County investment company. He received his Bachelor of Science Degree in Management from the School of Business Administration in 1962.

Deeply concerned about education, he went on to earn a Ph.D. in Educational Leadership from Florida Atlantic University and worked for many years with the Lake Worth Christian School in Lantana, beginning and directing its foreign studies program. He led students in experiential learning programs all over the world, including Australia, Africa and Antarctica, and has worked as a consultant in experiential education.

Also chair of the Marshall E. Rinker, Sr. Foundation, he is a member of the second of three generations of the Rinker family that have been involved in the life and development of Stetson University. He has served on Stetson's Board of Trustees since 1987, including two terms as chair; and also lent his expertise to the College of Arts and Sciences as a member of its Board of Advisors.



MAY 5, 2007  
CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

MASTERS  
OF  
ARTS,  
EDUCATION  
&  
SCIENCE

MASTER OF ARTS

Shun Yin Kiang  
DeLand, Florida

Judith Susanne Maria Lamb  
Deltona, Florida

MASTER OF EDUCATION

Christine Marie Campanaro  
Celebration, Florida

Bradley Scott Linville  
St. Cloud, Florida

Jennifer O'Rourke Rogers  
DeLand, Florida

Jason Robert Hayes  
Champions Gate, Florida

Christine Marie Morano  
Orlando, Florida

Meristell McLauchlin Shackelford  
Clermont, Florida

Leah Cristen Hayes  
Champions Gate, Florida

Benjamin Lee Osypian  
St. Cloud, Florida

April Marie Kearns  
Clermont, Florida

Michelle Louise Platzer  
Orlando, Florida

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Jeni Charisse Bowen  
Orlando, Florida

Opal Georgia Grant  
Daytona Beach, Florida

Kerri Adams MacLean  
Clermont, Florida

Tabitha Ann Delay-Grossnickle  
Winter Springs, Florida

Amy Catherine Layton  
St. Cloud, Florida

Felecia Oleda Thornton  
Winter Haven, Florida

# BACHELOR OF ARTS

* Satra Ahmadzadeh Ormond Beach, Florida Political Science	Anabel Borbón Miami, Florida Spanish	Tamara Lee Fields Daugharty DeLand, Florida English
Brett Booth Allison DeLand, Florida Elementary Education	Kristy Lynn Borwegen Greenville, New York Psychology	Elizabeth Ann DeFreitas Bradenton, Florida Communication Studies
Carolyn Campbell Ashley Bedford, New Hampshire English	* Adrienne Marie Boyle Ormond Beach, Florida Psychology	* Harry Baxter Dennen Mount Dora, Florida English
Lindsey Marie Bader Jupiter, Florida Psychology	Wess Taylor Brooker Gainesville, Florida English	Danielle Marie DeSantis Thompson's Station, Tennessee Psychology
Kristina Jean Banas Hobe Sound, Florida Art	Courtney Rene Bulian St. Clairsville, Ohio Religious Studies	Erik Glenn Detlefsen Eagan, Minnesota Economics
Reese Michael Barillari Leawood, Kansas Communication Studies	Vanessa Joy Bungard Deltona, Florida Art	Jana Dewees South Daytona, Florida Humanities
Rebecca Augustina Barnett Jacksonville, Florida Music	Tara Victoria Burnham Baileys Harbor, Wisconsin Elementary Education	Holly Ramona Diehl Hanover, Pennsylvania Humanities
Dyleeng Diann Beach Spring Hill, Florida Political Science	* Holly Alden Camil Gainesville, Florida Communication Studies Sociology	Bethany Lynne Doran Billerica, Massachusetts Communication Studies
Fauve Michelle Beaudin DeLand, Florida Humanities	Sarah Lynn Campbell Naples, Florida Humanities	Genevieve Rose Douglas Anna Maria, Florida History
Nicole Marie Belian DeLand, Florida Philosophy	Crystal Courtney Cason Sanford, Florida Religious Studies	Jodi Allison Nicole Edwards Kingston, Jamaica German
Tara Kathleen Belisario Greenfield Center, New York Mathematics	Christopher Cavaliere Palm Coast, Florida Sociology	April Nicole Eilering Troy, Illinois Sport Management
Mary Scarlet Bernard DeLand, Florida French Philosophy	Mary Elizabeth Christian Winter Haven, Florida Religious Studies	Megan Lindsey Eller Orange Park, Florida Psychology
Eileen Alexandra Betancourth Queens, New York Spanish Theatre Arts	Elizabeth Ann Counts Jupiter, Florida Political Science	Crystal Marie Ellis Naples, Florida Political Science
Ariel Blue Sarasota, Florida Communication Studies	Colby Elizabeth Croshaw Pine Island, Florida Political Science	Nicole Karen Ellis Islamorada, Florida Communication Studies Spanish
	Katherine Elizabeth Curtis Lake Mary, Florida English Spanish	Elizabeth Amalie Erlenbach Titusville, Florida Psychology

\* July Candidate

# BACHELOR OF ARTS...continued

BACHELOR  
OF  
ARTS

Christopher Michael Evans  
Gulf Breeze, Florida  
English

Shana Danielle Hoyle  
Mascotte, Florida  
English

Nathan Edward Koske  
Chester, Massachusetts  
Sport Management

Ansley Elizabeth Faulkner  
Jacksonville, Florida  
Religious Studies

Stephanie Michelle Hudson  
Ocala, Florida  
Political Science

Megan Rose Krinsky  
Palm City, Florida  
Elementary Education

Sarah Elizabeth Frierson  
Great Falls, Virginia  
English

Lacey Elizabeth Huff  
Orlando, Florida  
History

Monica Teal Krizen  
St. Petersburg, Florida  
English

Jeanay Romaine Fullerton  
Sanford, Florida  
Art

Ryan Scott Hutson  
Land O Lakes, Florida  
Political Science

Caroline Peacock Kurtz  
Naples, Florida  
History

Michele Angelique Galatovich  
Palm Bay, Florida  
Sociology

Cynthia Louise Jackson  
Kissimmee, Florida  
Elementary Education

Kristin Alicia Kurzydlo  
Sarasota, Florida  
Communication Studies

Drew Storm Graham  
Ft. Belvior, Virginia  
Art

Randall Evan Judt  
Largo, Florida  
Political Science

Kenneth David Lane  
DeLand, Florida  
American Studies

Hayley-Louise Graham  
Workingham, United Kingdom  
Elementary Education

\* Kyle James Kaminski  
Melbourne, Florida  
Environmental Science  
Religious Studies

Beverly-Anne Langran  
Longwood, Florida  
Art

Sergey Anatolyevich Gusev  
Palm Coast, Florida  
History

Frank Daniel Karabassis  
Deltona, Florida  
Political Science

Joseph Alan Lapin  
Clinton, Massachusetts  
English

Eric Whitton Guy  
Bethesda, Maryland  
Digital Arts-Art Track

Esther Grace Kelty  
Moyale, Kenya  
Digital Arts-Art Track

\* Gregory Louis Lenhart  
Merritt Island, Florida  
Digital Arts

Michelle Jacqueline Hamele  
Honeoye, New York  
Theatre Arts

Ashley Lauren Kerr  
Old Orchard Beach, Maine  
Communication Studies

Joshua Daniel Lund  
Longwood, Florida  
Digital Arts-Art Track

Ryan David Harris  
McDonough, Georgia  
History

Brendan Robert Kingsley  
Saratoga Springs, New York  
American Studies

Rebecca Pebble Maderski  
Green Cove Springs, Florida  
Theatre Arts

Terra Ashley Hernandez  
Jupiter, Florida  
Environmental Science

Kenneth Stratton Kirton  
Crawfordville, Florida  
Political Science  
Russian Studies

Sherry L. Mauraides  
DeLand, Florida  
English

Cameron Elizabeth Hoelscher  
Gulf Breeze, Florida  
Elementary Education

Dustin Robin Kollinger  
DeLand, Florida  
Elementary Education

Rachel Ellise McCallman  
Port Orange, Florida  
Art

Amy Nicole Holleman  
Durham, North Carolina  
Theatre Arts

Kari Dawn Kopko  
Ocoee, Florida  
English

Allison Irene Merkey  
DeLand, Florida  
Music

Elise Renee Holt  
Lakeland, Florida  
Theatre Arts

Patrick Sean Merry  
Ossipee, New Hampshire  
English

# BACHELOR OF ARTS...continued

Amanda Grace Mikell Archer, Florida Religious Studies	Enrique Antonio Puente II Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida Psychology	William Grant Smith West Palm Beach, Florida History
* Joshua Preston Miller St. Augustine, Florida English Political Science	Daniel Quinones Deltona, Florida English	Elliot Paul Sosbey Port Orange, Florida Sport Management
Kara Joustra Morey DeLand, Florida Spanish	Christopher Ren Port Orange, Florida Music	Rachel Walter Stephan Gainesville, Florida Music
Melissa Sue Muller Franklin, Tennessee English	Gustavo Thomas Rojas Altamonte Springs, Florida German	Patrycja Maria Stys Deltona, Florida French International Studies
Krystal Rae Mulock Bradenton, Florida Communication Studies	Andrew Alan Roth Cincinnati, Ohio English	Kelly Charlotte Thomson Wolfeboro, New Hampshire Communication Studies
Brett Patrick Murphy Oviedo, Florida Sport Management	Melissa Ann Sabo Port Orange, Florida Communication Studies	John Clayton Tinnell Bradenton, Florida English
John Thomas Negri Apopka, Florida German	Jessica Leigh Sanders Yorktown, Virginia English	Darcy Charlotte Trapp Arbor Vitae, Wisconsin Communication Studies
Gregory Thomas Nolan Pensacola, Florida Political Science	Tomas Ismael Santiago Brentwood, New York English	Kristina Demetrea Tsipouras Newton, Massachusetts Communication Studies
* John Andrew O'Keefe Orlando, Florida Philosophy	Emmalee Frances Schmidt Safety Harbor, Florida Communication Studies	Kara Alyson Turner Denton, Maryland Theatre Arts
Tiffany Nicole Parson Deltona, Florida Social Science Sociology	Eric William John Seidel III Oldsmar, Florida Political Science	Kathryn Marie Turner Naples, Florida Political Science
Sonal Siddharth Patel Ormond Beach, Florida Philosophy	Christopher Adam Shafer Pembroke Pines, Florida Theatre Arts	Ian Alexander Wasser Lake Worth, Florida Philosophy
* Heather Lin Phillip DeLand, Florida Communication Studies Political Science	* Christopher Derrick Shaw Ormond Beach, Florida Political Science	Samantha Weppelmann Orlando, Florida Communication Studies
Katie Elizabeth Pinder Waycross, Georgia Music Theatre-Honors	Christopher Paul Sias Little Egg Harbor, New Jersey Sport Management	Sarah Anne Wiggin Hollywood, Florida Spanish
* Danielle Marie Prior Shelton, Connecticut Communication Studies	Katelyn Claire Simmons Port Orange, Florida Psychology	Saasha Rosena Regal Williams Deltona, Florida Communication Studies
	* Beatrice Simon Orlando, Florida Sociology	

\* July Candidate

## BACHELOR OF ARTS...continued

Sarah Elyse Wilson  
Fern Park, Florida  
Political Science

Chantel Christine Wonder  
DeLand, Florida  
Philosophy

Katelyn Eileen Zaleski  
Cromwell, Connecticut  
Communication Studies

Kevin Howard Winchell  
New Smyrna Beach, Florida  
Philosophy

Adam Daniel Wright  
New Smyrna Beach, Florida  
Digital Arts-Art Track

Valerie Jordanna Winship  
Jacksonville, Florida  
Religious Studies

Katherine Alexandra Wright  
Ormond Beach, Florida  
Russian Studies

BACHELORS  
OF  
ARTS  
&  
SCIENCE

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Emily Jane Barrett  
Lakeland, Florida  
Rehabilitative Studies

Tiffany Allison Cochran  
Jacksonville, Florida  
Psychology

Matthew Erik Deyo-Svendsen  
Menomonie, Wisconsin  
Computer Science  
Mathematics

Allison Marie Bartelson  
Deltona, Florida  
Integrative Health Science

Adam Charles Colando  
Hollywood, Florida  
Psychology

Lindsey Michelle Dixon  
Pierson, Florida  
Elementary Education

Kimberly Ann Behler  
Port Orange, Florida  
Psychology

Heather Michelle Colding  
Lakeland, Florida  
Rehabilitative Studies

Dawn Angela Dorflinger  
Altosona, Florida  
Psychology

Nicole Marie Belian  
DeLand, Florida  
Environmental Science

\*James Allen Cooley, Jr.  
Fort Pierce, Florida  
Psychology

Tricia Blair Dorné  
Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida  
Biology

Eileen Alexandra Betancourth  
Queens, New York  
Environmental Science

Sheryl Ann Corso  
DeLand, Florida  
Integrative Health Science

Douglas Ephraim Alexander Edwards  
Kingston, Jamaica  
Computer Science

Justin Gabriel Black  
Signal Mountain, Tennessee  
Physics

Marilyn Nicole Cruickshank  
Gastonia, North Carolina  
Aquatic & Marine Biology

Kathleen Louise Egan  
McCormick, South Carolina  
Biology

Kathryn Ann Brausch  
Gibsonia, Pennsylvania  
Biology

Shauna Leigh Cupolo  
St. Augustine, Florida  
Psychology

Gail Ann Ferek  
Osteen, Florida  
Biochemistry

Ashley Lauren Broniszewski  
North Palm Beach, Florida  
Integrative Health Science

Christina Efthemia Dagianis  
Hollis, New Hampshire  
Psychology

Heather Marie Hahn  
Palm Beach Gardens, Florida  
Biology

Wess Taylor Brooker  
Gainesville, Florida  
Political Science

\*James Nicholas Davis  
New Smyrna Beach, Florida  
Aquatic and Marine Biology

Julia Elizabeth Hankin  
Dartmouth, Massachusetts  
Sociology

\*Jeffrey Ryan Cara  
Palm Beach Gardens, Florida  
Integrative Health Science

Aguirre Andres de Cubas  
Orlando, Florida  
Biochemistry  
Chemistry

\*Les Phillip Heinen  
Ocala, Florida  
Physics



# BACHELOR OF SCIENCE...continued

Rachel Anna Johnson  
DeBary, Florida  
Political Science

Brittany Leigh Jones  
Apopka, Florida  
Rehabilitative Studies

Serina Irene Kadolph  
DeBary, Florida  
Elementary Education

Konstantine Daniel Karabassis  
Deltona, Florida  
Political Science

Lyndsey Ann Kelley  
Vero Beach, Florida  
Integrative Health Science

Stacy Nicole Knight  
Orange Park, Florida  
Integrative Health Science  
Psychology

Elsie B. Kraft-Richmond  
DeLand, Florida  
Sociology

Shawna Rebecca Lemmon  
Edgewater, Florida  
Integrative Health Science

Brian Robert Leonard  
New Smyrna Beach, Florida  
Rehabilitative Studies

Carlton Taylor Lewis  
Madison, Florida  
Biochemistry

Whitney Ara Liftig  
Ft. Myers, Florida  
Psychology

Tracy Mary-Elizabeth Loch  
DeBary, Florida  
Psychology

Brandon Steven Marsell  
Zellwood, Florida  
Physics

Patrick Kyle Marshall  
DeLand, Florida  
Integrative Health Science

Desiree Evelyn Martin  
Port Orange, Florida  
Biology

David Evan Mazur  
Manchester, Connecticut  
Integrative Health Science

Patrick Edmund McClave  
Coral Springs, Florida  
Biology

\* Stephanie Ann McLean  
Deltona, Florida  
Biology

William Howard McSwain  
Bradenton, Florida  
Biology

Andrew Ward Moedinger  
Longwood, Florida  
Computer Science

Jesse Allen Montgomery  
Eustis, Florida  
Chemistry

Vikki Lynn Moore  
Gainesville, Florida  
Biology

Joshua McClure Morganti  
Frankfort, Kentucky  
Biology

Casey Shannon Neary  
Revere, Massachusetts  
Psychology

Jana Michelle Neumann  
Lake Worth, Florida  
Biochemistry

Melissa Gail Pancoast  
Merritt Island, Florida  
Political Science

\* Roger Leonard Pawlak, Jr.  
Orange City, Florida  
Psychology

Caroline Mary Peterson  
Melbourne, Florida  
Integrative Health Science

John Thomas Rand  
Punta Gorda, Florida  
Biology

Sara Elizabeth Reilova  
Indianapolis, Florida  
Biology

Hayley Frances Rutger  
Tarpon Springs, Florida  
Biology

Joshua Laurence Smith  
Lutz, Florida  
Biology

\* Lisa Marie Strotman  
Los Alamos, New Mexico  
Integrative Health Science

Laurael Ann Talbott  
Lake Helen, Florida  
Biology

Kristyn Lee Talmadge  
Safety Harbor, Florida  
Aquatic & Marine Biology

Sarah Ann Tredinnick  
Melbourne, Florida  
Psychology

\* Morgan Elizabeth Bartlett Tyner  
Boca Raton, Florida  
Psychology

Kaya Morgan Wertz  
Jupiter, Florida  
Psychology

Sarah Anne Wiggin  
Hollywood, Florida  
Psychology



# GRADUATION HONORS

SUMMA  
CUM LAUDE,  
MAGNA  
CUM LAUDE  
&  
CUM LAUDE

## SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Josiah Paul Armes	William Howard McSwain
Mary Scarlet Bernard	Andrew Ward Moedinger
Wess Taylor Brooker	Gregory Thomas Nolan
Christopher Cavaliere	Timothy David Ostrow
Mary Elizabeth Christian	Rey Francisco Rodriguez-Gautier
Katherine Elizabeth Curtis	Hayley Frances Rutger
Erik Glenn Detlefsen	William Grant Smith
Gail Ann Ferek	Patrycja Maria Stys
Mathias Haugner	Kristen Teresa Vanderoef
Christina Maria Heizmann	Alexandria Terese Vita
Esther Grace Kelty	Kaya Morgan Wertz

## MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Sabrina Danielle Beaudin	Susan Marie Hendon	Daniel Quinones
Jennifer Noel Beebe	Megan Claire Hicks	John Thomas Rand
Ingrid Agnes Berkley	Shana Danielle Hoyle	Jessica Leigh Sanders
Kathryn Ann Brausch	Brittany Leigh Jones	Elizabeth Ruth Schaefer
Sarah Lynn Campbell	Thomas Wesley Keller	Johnathan Pierce Timko
Matthew Erik Deyo-Svendsen	Carlton Taylor Lewis	John Clayton Tinnell
Tricia Blair Dorné	Brandon Steven Marsell	Kathryn Marie Turner
Natalia Anatolievna Eckroth	Christina Sophia Esper Naime	William John Wieland II
Angela Leigh Gause	Natalie Kay Parker	Chantel Christine Wonder
Joshua Ervin Grossnicklaus	Joseph Cory Peterson	
Erin Christine Helgeson	Trista LeaAnn Phillips	

## CUM LAUDE

John Preston Baker	Cynthia Louise Jackson	Jhaysonn Vinodchandra Pathak
Vicki Denise Berney	Rachel Anna Johnson	Christine Marie Purdue
Melissa Ann Ceran	Frank Daniel Karabassis	Sara Elizabeth Reilova
Heather Nicole Collins	Kenneth Stratton Kirton	Tomas Ismael Santiago
Amy Lee Coonce	Brian Robert Leonard	John-Michael Simpson
Genevieve Rose Douglas	Janene Alese Maclin	Jeffrey Joel Smeraglinolo
Nicole Karen Ellis	Rebecca Pebble Maderski	Joshua Laurence Smith
Elizabeth Amalie Erlenbach	Desiree Brooke Maira	Frances Veronica Speidel
Stephanie Ann Everson	Rachel Ellise McCallman	Elizabeth Anne Stringer
Ansley Elizabeth Faulkner	Amanda Grace Mikell	Adam Tyler Tindle
Sherrel Alicia Fountain	Geraldine Morillo	Kara Alyson Turner
Michele Angelique Galatovich	Melissa Sue Muller	Jamison Lee Walker
Kevin Douglas Gallagher	Kamia-Alma Emmanuel Mwango	Sarah Anne Wiggin
Kristina Marie Hammock	Andrea Beth Newhouse	
Elise Renee Holt	Tiffany Nicole Parson	

## HONORS RECOGNITIONS

Stetson University applauds its May 2007 graduates  
who have achieved high honors in completing their degrees.

### PHI BETA KAPPA

Stetson was the first private university in Florida to be honored with a chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, the nation's oldest honorary society. Since 1776, Phi Beta Kappa has promoted "high scholarship, liberal culture, and good character" among undergraduates. Election to Phi Beta Kappa is Stetson's highest recognition of excellence in the study of the liberal arts and sciences.

Mary Bernard	William McSwain
Wess Brooker	Gregory Nolan
Sarah Campbell	Daniel Quinones
Christopher Cavaliere	John Rand
Mary Beth Christian	Hayley Rutger
Katherine Curtis	Patrycja Stys
Gail Ferek	Kathryn Turner
Brandon Marsell	Chantel Wonder

### PI KAPPA LAMBDA

Pi Kappa Lambda is a national music honor society which recognizes those junior and senior students who have demonstrated superior achievement in their programs of study. Seniors in the upper 20 percent of the class and juniors in the upper 10 percent of the class are eligible for membership.

#### **Bachelors of Music**

Josiah Armes  
Christina Heizmann  
Erin Helgeson  
Andrew Moedinger  
Kristen Vanderoef

#### **Bachelors of Music Education**

Angela Gause  
Joshua Grossnicklaus  
Susan Hendon  
Timothy Ostrow

## BETA GAMMA SIGMA

Beta Gamma Sigma is the international honor society providing the highest academic recognition available for an undergraduate or graduate business student. Beta Gamma Sigma recognizes outstanding academic achievements of students enrolled in collegiate business and management programs accredited by AACSB International. To be eligible for membership, an undergraduate student must rank in the upper 7 percent of the junior class, or the upper 10 percent of the senior class.

### Bachelors of Business Administration

Natalia Eckroth  
Mathias Haugner  
Thomas Keller  
Joseph Peterson  
Natalie Parker  
Rey Rodriguez-Gautier  
Elizabeth Schaefer  
Johnathan Timko

### Masters of Business Administration

Sean Brown  
Robert Garman  
William Warren

## CHI SIGMA IOTA

Chi Sigma Iota is the international honor society for students, professional counselors and counselor educators whose mission is to promote scholarship, research, professionalism, leadership and excellence in counseling, and to recognize high attainment in the pursuit of academic and clinical excellence in the profession of counseling.

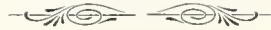
Jeni Bowen  
Tabitha Delay-Grossnickel  
Felicia Thornton

## HONORS PROGRAM

Founded in 1956, Stetson University's Honors Program is the oldest in the Southeast and one of the oldest in the nation. Its mission is to provide "enriched and intellectually stimulating learning experiences for inquisitive and motivated students." University Honors Program graduates must complete a rigorous sequence of courses in general education, fulfill all requirements for a major (and often a second major or minor), write a personal credo, pass a comprehensive oral examination, and maintain a minimum overall grade point average of 3.0. The Honors Program has a long tradition of providing leaders to student government, campus media, and service organizations.

Genevieve Douglas  
Elizabeth Erlenbach  
Kristiana Henkel  
Ryan Hutson

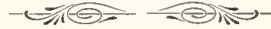
Melissa Pancoast  
Patrycja Stys  
Kaya Wertz



## U.S. ARMY ROTC COMMISSIONEES

2LT Charles Nathan Davis

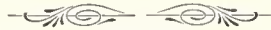
2LT Christopher Sin-Joo Ren



### GRADUATION PLEDGE Initiated by the Class of 2002 and the Student Government Association Stetson University

This voluntary commitment is part of a national movement in which college graduates sign a pledge to "lead responsible lives." Seniors who have signed the Stetson University pledge wear green and gold ribbons at Commencement to indicate their intention to live thoughtfully and responsibly, drawing on values they have developed here as they move forward in life and work:

I acknowledge the impact of my decisions on others, on society, and on the environment. As I graduate from Stetson University and begin advanced study or my life's work, I pledge to consider the social, spiritual, and environmental consequences of my actions. As I make daily choices, I will do my best to enhance the lives of others, to deepen my understanding of the spiritual dimension of human life, and to demonstrate respect for the natural world.



### IN MEMORIAM

Bernard J. Harding, Adjunct Professor of Music  
Michael W. Raymond, Professor of English



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